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Attn: Ms. Bonita Lavelle

Subject:

OU3 RI/FS of the Libby Asbestos Site Monthly Progress Report – October 2007

Dear Bonnie:

This progress report describes work completed for the month of October in accordance with Section IX of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study dated September 2007. A discussion of the actions taken, sampling results, planned activities, modifications, problems encountered, potential issues, anticipated delays, and solutions developed is provided below.

A. ACTIONS TAKEN

The following is a summary of the actions taken and progress made during the month of October.

- Participated in several conference calls related to implementation of the Phase I RI.
- Mobilized field teams and conducted Phase I RI activities, including collection of off-site tree bark/forest litter/surface mineral soil samples, collection of on-site media samples, and collection of on-site ambient air samples in accordance with the EPA-approved Phase I Sampling and Analysis Plan for Operable Unit 3, Libby Asbestos Superfund Site, dated September 26, 2007.
- Conducted on-site visit of OU3 to locate and evaluate the condition and status of on-site monitoring and/or production wells.
- Demobilized field teams, stored field and office equipment and supplies, and closed project field office in Libby, Montana on October 19, 2007.

B. SAMPLING RESULTS

As of November 1, 2007, no analytical results were available for Phase I samples, which were collected from October 2 through October 22, 2007.

C. PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR NEXT TWO MONTHS

The following tasks are scheduled to be performed over the next two months.

- Produce a draft Phase I Field Sampling Summary Report, to be submitted to EPA no later than December 10, 2007.
- Participate in Ecological Task Force meetings (date and location to be determined).
- D. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED/POTENTIAL ISSUES/ANTICIPATED DELAYS/SOLUTIONS DEVELOPED/IMPLEMENTED

None.

If you have any questions regarding this progress report, please call Bob Marriam at (901) 820-2023.

Sincerely,

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